Disturbance of Sentiment in London Over Rumors of Trouble Between Russia and Japan.

MOVEMENTS ON LARGE SCALE

Rise in Louisville and Nashville Attributed to an Expected Dividend on Subsidiary Stock,

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Nov. 30,—There was a narrow and drifting market for stocks to-day, which resulted in only spanil net changes, except in special cases. There was some depression manifest during the early part of the day and this was agravated by, if it was not entirely due to, it disturbance of sentiment in London over the reiterated rumors of trouble between Japan and Russia. The market of the latter part of the day was decidedly tween Japan and Russin. The market of the latter part of the day was decidedly ...m, but the movement was small, owing to the duliness of the dealings. Shorts in Pennsylvania covered freely. There was some pressure upon Republic Steel preferred, due to the fear that the divi-dend would be reduced or passed during the day. The doubts were not resolved waen the market closed wim and directors in session.

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There was a special accumulation, of Louisville and Nushville, and the accompanying strength of Nashville, Chattanoga and St. Louis gave color to the supposition that an early dividend distribution on that subsidiary stock is in contemplation. The rise in the money rate to the perfect of the perfect of the perfect of the arrangements for the December settlements, which funds, it was expected would return in a few days to the money parket.

Total sales were 433,000 shares.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Close: Money on sall, strong, 6 to 8 per cent.; lowest 6; closing bid 6 1-2; offered at 7. Time loans firm; slavy days 6 per cent. inhety days and six months 5 1-2. Prime mercantile paper 6 to 6 1-2. Sterling exchange heavy with actual bidshess in bankers bills at 44.53.46 to 34.53.46 for demand, and at \$4.79.46 to 34.78.25.10r. sixty day bills. Posted 74 tes \$4.81 to \$1.81-12 and \$4.81-12 to \$4.85. Commercial bills 37.79-1-2 to \$4.70-6-8.

Bar silver 55-1-2. Maxican dollars 43.

RICHMOND STOCK MARKET.

Richmond, Va., Nov.	30,	1303.
STATE SECURITIES: 1	3ld. J	skod.
North Carolina 4s, C., 1019	102	September 1
North Carolina 15, C. and R. 1932.	91	95%
Virginia Centuries, 2-3, C. and R	9554	951
CITY SECURITIES.		
Richmond City 4s, R., 1929-1930	103	105
RAILROAD BONDS.		
Atlanta and Char. 1st 7s, It., 1907	107	
A. C. L. R. R. Con. Tr. 4 p. c Georgia and Pac. 1st 6s, C. 1932	93	
Georgia and Pac. 1st 6s, C, 1932	120	
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Georgia and Ala. Con. 5s, 1945	105	
N. and W. Ry. Pocahontas 4s	90	***
Rich, and Meck, 1st 4s, 1948 South-Bound 1st 5s, 1941	80	90
South-Bound 1st bs, 1941	71	724
S. A. L. Con. 1st 4s, 1950 S. A. L. Collateral Tr. 6s, 1911	59	127
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RAILROAD STOCKS.	200	- A. A. V
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Atlanta and Charlotte	145	***
Atlantic Coust Line "A"100	105	***
	400	***
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Ga., So. and Fa. 1st pfd100 Norfolk and Western com100	1.6	***
Seaboard Air drie ptd100	23	24
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Southern Railway pid	13	
BANK STOCKS.		1177
Brond-Street Bank25	2432	25
City Bank		331
First National100	195	
Merchants National	310	
Rich, Tr. and S. Dep. Co100	***	125
Virginia Trust Company190	***	1025
INSURANCE COMPANIES.		
Virginia Fire and Marine 25	3814	
MISCELLANEOUS.	2771	190,0
Continental Tob. pfd 7 p. c190	100	

BALTIMORE STOCK MARKET. BALTIMORE, MD., Nov. 20.—Scaboard Air Line counton, 12% bid; do, preferred, 21% bid; 24. Scaboard 4s. 80% usked. Atlantic Coast Line, common, 1060107; do, preferred, 98% bid.

COTTON MARKETS.

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NEW YORK, Nov., 20.—The cotton market opened casy at a decline of 1919 points, following cables that were considerably lower than expected, which had the effect of inducing liquidation and some pressure from bearbally disposed operators, who are working on the theory are been hade over discounted. Almost immediately, however, the market was railied sharply by aggressive bull support, the relative firmness at New Orleans, reports that New England spinners were sending buying orders into the market and a scare of shorts, who were perhaps rendered uneasy by rumors concerning possible developments in the nearly options, pullipsed in the nearly options, and the local subject to be centered and operating in narmony with the local builtiedet. It was reported that a leading New Orelans newspaper had issued a builts cropelinas of the control of the control

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(ESTABLISHED 1833.)

MEMBERS New York Stock Exchange,

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Official Range and Sale of Stocks in New York

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Receibts of cotton at the ports to-day were 64,636 bales against 59,737 last week and 43,176 last year. For the week 360,000 bales against 377,638 last week and 325,071 last year. To-day; receipts at New Orleans were 25,44 bales against 11,655 last year, and at Houston 16,352 bales against 6,522 last year.

İ	Cotton futures	opened Open.	easy and	closed Low.	firm: Close.
1	November		11.33	11.33	
4	December	11.19	11.42	11.17	11.41
1	January	11 91	11.60	11.21	11.48
1	Junuary /	11 100	11.44	11.25	11.63
1	February	11 20	11.63	11.3)	11.58
1	March	11.00	11.58	11.32	11.5N
1	April	4.11.32		11.33	11.58
1	May	11.34	11.60		
1	June	11.50	11.60	11,60	11.55
1	July	11.31-	11.69	11,32,	11.58
1	August	10.98	11.20	10.13	11.18
1	Spot cotton cl	ozed ste	ndy, 18 r	ointe l	igher:
1	middling upland	2, 11,00	mount	P	

Colton, stendy; middling, 11.65; gross receipts, 1,747 bales; sales, 1900 bales; stock, 65,011 bales;

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Nov. 30.—COTTON— the spot cotton market, under the influence of he advance in New York and the great firm ness of futures, developed an active demand a helicity resulting in the sales of 9,500 bales, will price, resulting in the sales of 9,500 bales. institut lower to 2 points higher. A large mount of selling orders was in evidence, but these were quickly absorbed, the murket showthese were quickly absorbed, the murket showthese were quickly absorbed, the murket showthese was a return to small erop estimates, which was in contrast to the disparticulation, which was in contrast to the disparticulation out larger estimates to the disparticulation of the bureau Thurnd had prices would go to 12c, et opinion of builts the generally expected opinion of the prices would go to 12c, et opinion of the close of Saturday, and to completely route shorts who covered heavily at high prices. In the trading fluctuations were within narrow limits, the trend of prices being decidedly upward. During the day December sold up 25 points to 11.45; January 26 to 11.57. The market closed firm and within a point or two of the highest figures of the session for the active months, the net gains being 124 points of the shiphest figures of the session for the active months, the net gains being 124 points of the shiphest figures of the session for the active months, the net gains being 124 points of the shiphest figures of the session for the active months, the net gains being 124 points of the shiphest figures of the session for the active months, the net gains being 124 points of the shiphest figures. It says 11.47, January 11.493 [1.50]. February, 11.56411.51; March, 11.69311.01; April, 11.72311.74; May, 11.70311.77; June, 11.75311.50; July, 11.83311.84.

PRODUCE MARKET.

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NEW YORK, Nov. 99.—PLOUR.—Firm and held bigher. Hye Flour—Dull. Huckwheat Flour—Easy at \$2.799.2.9. Cornmeal—Firm. Hye—Steady. Wheat—Spot firmer; No. 2 red, 88%c. Options were active and strong all day, deriving an inspulse from buillish weekly and strong all day, deriving an inspulse from buillish weekly and deriving an inspulse from buillish weekly and consumption of the characteristic of the consumption of t

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PRIVATE WIRES TO

PRINCIPAL MARKETS.

Incestment Securities

CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 20.—Big clearance and an urgent demand for the seath article word selectly.

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WHEAT-No. 2.				. 92
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May	11.20	11.25	11.15	11.40
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Jon	6.42	6.45	6.37	6.42
May	6.60	8.52	6.47	6.60
SHORT RIBS-I	er 100 lb	8.		
Jan	6.87	5.87	5.85	5.87
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May		30.00		
Cash quotation	18 Wero	un .ton	DW8-LT	2011/0 :
Steady, Butter-	-Steady;	creame	ries, 160	0.57 0.10
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RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET.

	WHEAT- SAL LETERA PARCE AND LAND	100	
	Longberry (car lots)	88	Ø230
ı	Mixed (car luts)!	88 -	@ 30
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ı	Shortberry (car lots)		43.00
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ı	Va. bag lots	30	0,00
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	CATTLE MADVETS	200	

1359c. per pound; country dressed, 54,1119c. Sheep and Lambs—Roccipts, 16,500 head. Market about steady; demand fair. Sheep, \$2,150 a. 75; few export do. at \$4; calls, \$2; lambs, 350, 500; few extra, \$5,506,600; culls, \$5,004,50; Canada lambs, \$5,50, Hogs—Reccipts, 14,614 head. Market 10c. higher; State hogs, \$4,0045; pigs, \$5,65,15.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 25.—HOGB—Actove and higher at \$1.5074.99. Cattle—Quiet at \$134.4.40. Sheep—Stendy at \$1.5073.25. Lambs—Stendy at \$3.7545.55.

UNION STOCK YARDS, PITTSBURG, PA., Nov. 30.—CATTLE—Steady. Choice, 45.56@5.70; prime, 44.56@5.00; fair, 58@5.00; llogs.—Active, Frime, heavy, 41.70@4.15; medium. 44.66@4.70; lieavy yorkers, 41.65@4.70; light yo

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS,

PEANUT MARKET. PEANOA NOV. 30-PEANUTS-Farmers' market, fancy, 3½c.; strictly prime, 2½f; prim Spanish, 9009214c. Marse fancy; market steady.

DRI GOODS MARKET. DRI GOODS MARKET.

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—The dry goods market shows a steadily advancing tendency, and in certain cases new quotations have been openly made. The further advance in cotton has given the manufacturer renewed independent in his advices to his tendence, but more or loss current husiness is reported of a filing in character.

changed, with a moderate trade. P f. O. b. mills, 25925450.; prime sun 34c.; spot, December, 3344(34c.; off r illow, nominal; prime white, 37c.; p yelow, 35933c.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE

PORT OF RICHMOND, NOV. 20, 1903. ARRIVED.

Steamor Berkoley, Guy, Norfolk, merchandise, and passengers, Old Dominion line. BAILED.

BALLED.
mer Berkeley, Guy, Norfolk, merchandise
assongers, Old Dominion line.
mer Pocahonias, Graves, Norfolk and
River landings, merchandise and passenVirginia Navigation Co.

PORT OF WEST POINT, NOV. 20, 1903.

Baltimore, Couriney, Baltimore, passongers and general cargo.

SAILED.

Baltimore, Couriney, Baltimore, passongers and general cargo.

PORT BERMUDA HUNDRED, NOV. 20, 1903. ARRIVED. Barge York, Conderey, to load poplar wood. SALED. Schooner Hester A. Waters, Sullivan, loaded lumber, Alexandria, Vu. Harge Minerva, Claytonn, loaded ratiroad ties, Philadelphia, Pa.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Arrivals at the hotels yesterday, and especially at Murphy's and The Powhatan, were numerous, and the lobbles of the two hotels presented very much the appearance of the eve of a logislative caucus. There were crowds of guests and logislators in both until a late hour. The presence of the Republican State Committeemen, the Masonic Grand Lodge and the advocates and opponents of the pending oyster bill made up the bulk of the arrivals.

oyster bill made up the bulk of the arrivals,

'Among the prominent Republicans at Murphy's were Chalrman Purk Agnew, of Alexandria, Cuptain Asa Rogers, of Petersburg; Golonel Brown Ailen, of Sidunton, and others from various sections.

Other well known persons at Murphy's include Pormer Judge G. S. Stevens, of Nelson; Attorney A. B. Soldner, of Norfolk, A. P. Crockett, of Wytheville; W. G. Elam, of Suffolk; Judge D. Tucker Brooke, of Norfolk, and Mr. R. Randolph Hicks, of the same city; a former member of the House; Hon. Claggett B. Jones, of King and Queen; Judge Thomas E. Blakey, of Essax; Messrs, W. B. Livezcy, L. O. Pulley and W. R. Rogers of Newport News; John A. Scott, of Centre Cross.

ers of Newport News: John A. Scen, v. Framville, and Dr. Peyton Hundley, of Centre Cross.

At The Powhatan are W. S. Edmond and wife, Courtiey Edmond and W. D. Edmond, of Milboro; W. P. F. Lee, of Crawford; T. S. Taylor and wife, of Glies; G. A. Martin, of Pulaski; S. R. Donohoe and Miss Donohoe, of Alexanria; William Harrison, of Danville; T. J. Warren, H. S. Knight, O. L. Rooks and Walter Willins, of Cape Charles; S. M. Donald and Miss Anile Lee Johnson, of Staunton; C. C. Chewning, of Carolina; W. G. Dillard, of Spotsylvania; W. A. Newnan, of Amherst; Attorney George N. Conrad, of Harrisonburg, Dr. S. T. A. Kent, of Ingram; W. T. Fitzparick, oi Bedford; W. E. Burgess, of Martinsville H. A. Hobday, of Bohannon; H. D. How, K. Elling, of Carolina, M. Ellingess, of Martinsville Kent, of Ingram; W. T. Fitzpatrick, of Bedford; W. E. Burgees, of Martinsville; P. A. Hobday, of Behannon; H. D. Howard, of Pulaski; Dr. J. W. Kellam, of Wachapreague; E. A. Wood and W. L. Duvis, of Portsmouth; E. L. Button, of Gilmerton; W. F. Byrd, of Korfolk; William M. Ellis, of Montgomery; J. Lawson Carter, of Chatham; H. O. Kerns, of Pittsyivania; Hon, Manly H. Barnes, of New Kent, and S. M. Bolling, of Rodford, At the Lexington are Rev. J. K. Holmin, of Danville; G. H. Kent, of Fluvanna; H. M. Shepherd, of Buckingham; B. W. Edwards, of West, Point; Alexander Campbell, of West Virginia; Miss Ellza Tuylor, of Norfolk; H. E. Ferguson, of Amelin, J. A. Edmondson, of Halfax; T. E. Howard, of South Boston; W. A. Bland, of Ronnoke, and others.

At the Jefferson yesterday the following arrivals had been recorded: A. L. Duffey, Virginia; Mrs. E. N. Dickerson, New York; Miss Echo Allen, Los Angoles, Chi.; H. D. Betts, Wilmington, Del.; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Taylor; Virginia; H. B. Morris, Chioago; Mr. and Mrs. Woshington; Will, and Mrs. Wolfgang, New York; G. H. Lowe, Dayton, C., Mrs. 12 Prince New York; M. A. Wansoni, Portsmouth; W. J. Moore, Washington; William A. Garrett, Derroit; Joseph Gump, Baltimore; Nat C. Dean, New York.

ROBBED WHILE ASLEEP.

Charged With Stealing a Watch From Edward Tyler.

A negro named Walter Butts was arrested has night by Officer G. J. Bradley and lodged in the Second Police Station on a charge of larceny from the person. Butts is specifically charged with stanling a watch from the person of another negro named Edward Tyler while the latter was asleep. The evidence against Butts is strong, and he is liable to get a penitentiary term, unless he can establish his innocence.

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GUARDED BY BIG FORCE

Soldiers Surround United States Legation at Capital of Colombia.

THE NEWS COMES VIA COLON

Member of House From Panama Says There Was Plan to Kill Minister Beaupre.

COLON, Nov. 30 .- Luis Deroux, a mem per of the Colombian House of Representatives from Panama, who made speech in the House warning Colombia to sign the Hay-Horran canal treaty immediately or she would lose the Isthmus the day Congress closed, has arrived here from Bogota, whence he started November 14th. Senor Beroux is a Panamanian, and owing to his well known political connections he was subis pown political connections no was subjected to annoyances and affronted at
Bogota and on the Magdalena River.
When Deroux left Bogota the United
States legation was guarded continually
by fifty soldiers armed with rifles. Minister Heaupro mentioned that possibly
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A governmental consulting committee has been formed at Bogota. It is composed of liberals, conservatives and nationalists. According to good authority, at one meeting of the committee the statement was heatedly made that Mr. Beaupre must be killed, whether the United States destroyed Cartagena or not in retailation. Wiser counsels, however, prevalled.

While there is much talk in Colombia of raising a big army, no actual steps in that direction have yet been taken.

Colombia has not lost the idea of making an attempt to regain the Isthmus, She still entertains hopes that General Reyes will succeed in effecting a satisfactory arrangement at Washington. Falling this, the Colombians, it is believed, will undoubtedly advance on the Isthmus, sending troops in small parties of two to three hundred along both coasts, sufficiently inland to keep their movements secret, and, on arriving on the borders of Panama, they will, it is said, begin a guerrilla warfare, pillinging and burning.

The internal political dissensions in Colombia are slowly growing more marked. The liberal revolutionary element particularly is showing signs of increasing discontent throughout the entire country and a recurrence of the recent revolt at any time within the next year would not surprise those who are familiar with Colombian affairs.

METEOROLOGICAL.

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A Summary of Conditions Dur ing Month Just Ended.

The local weather bureau has issued the following meteorological summary for

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3-Pt	. cloudy.	.74	61	62	.04
	. cloudy.		48	62	0
5-Pt	. cloudy	73	60	63	.17
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	enr		30	42	0
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10-Pt	. cloudy	.67	40	54	0
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Temperature—Highest, 75; date, 4th; lowest, 20; date, 27th; greatest daily range, 31; date, 5th; least daily range, 7; date 25.

Mean for this month—1898, 47; 1899, 50; 1900, 62; 1901, 44; 1902, 65; 1903, 45.

Mean of this month for seven years, 40.

Average daily deficiency of this month as compared with mean of seven years, 40.

Accumulated Tectionery since January 18t, 40. Average daily deficiency since January 18t, 9.1.

Wind—Provailing direction, north. Maxi-

uary 1st, 0.1.
Wind-Prevailing direction, north, Maximum velocity (for five minutes) twenty-eight miles per hour, from southwest, on

16th.
Precipitation—Total this month in 1893, 2.2; 1899, 1.19; 1900, 2.87; 1901, 1.87; 1902, 4.83; 1893, 1.40; 1897, 3.07. Average of this month for seven years, 2.42. Deficiency of this month as compared with average of seven years, 1.62. Accumulated excess since January 1st, 13.85.
Sunshine and cloudiness—Number of clear days, 7; partly cloudy, 14; cloudy, 9; on which .01 inch, or more, of rain fell, 6. Frosts, Killing, on the 7th.

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THREE SWING TO ONE LIMB

Negroes Lynched by Crowd of Twelve Thousand People in Louisiana.

NOT A SHOT WAS FIRED

Negroes Confessed to Shooting and Were Given an Opportunity to Pray.

(By Associated Press.)
SHREVEPORT, LA., Nov. 30.—In the presence of a crowd of about 1,200 persons, composed of whites and negroes Phil Davis, Walter Carter and Clint Thomas, all negroes, were lynched this afternoon about 1 o'clock within a short distance of Belcher, which is twentyfive miles from Shreveport. The men were executed for participating in the fatal shooting of Robert Adger, one of the most popular business men in North

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The negroes confessed their crime. They stated that they were trying new guns, and when Adger appeared on the street, thought it quite natural to turn the guns on him.

No shots were fired at the lynching, the negroes all being hanged to a single limb of a tree. Two of the negroes under arrest. Sam Lee and Peter Thomas, were released. Lee proved that he attempted to prevent the negroes from shooting, and established the fact that he was too frightened to shoot. Phil Davis and Walter Carter were captured yesterday afternoon several miles from the scene of their crime. Clint Thomas was caught later about a mile and a half from Belcher.

The negroes were taken before Adger and confessed their crime. They were held in concealment until shortly before 1 o'clock to-day, when they were taken out and hanged. Davis is said to be an ex-convict, and Walter Carter was forced to flee from Mansfield. La., about a year ago for insulling a white woman.

The negroes of Belcher joined in the search for the men and were apparently as eager to have them lynched as the whites. One negro was presented by the whites with a purse of, 3100 for the particle took in the pursuit.

The negroes who were lynched were given an opportunity to pray.

THE GRAND LODGE MASONS TO MEET

Begins To-night to Hold Regular Sessions and Will Adjourn Thursday.

The Masonic hosts of Virginia are gathering for the session of the Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M., which will convene to-night in the Masonic Temple. Grand Master Ed. N. Eubank, of Nowport News, presiding, More than two hundred of the craft from all portions of the State are expected to be present, and already many are here. Among the early on a charge of larcenty from the person. In the post of larcenty from the person of another person of another person of another may no many Edward Tyler while the large of with seal large a watch from the person of another may no mamed Edward Tyler while the new of the treatment o arrivals is Past Grand Master H. O.

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FEVER-STRICKEN TOWN

(By Associated Press.)

BUTLER, P.A., Nov. 30.—Two deaths and twenty new cases of typhoid fever were reported to-day. The work of relief for the fever sufferers has been theroughly organized and needy cases are being attended to as facilities permit. Seventeen nurses arrived to-day and others are on their way. The number of cases needing relief exceed the supply of nurses and attendants 20 to 1.

Four of the local physicians are sick and others say it is impossible to attend to all calls, and that more doctors are needed immediately. Contributions of money are beginning to arrive, but more is necessary to relieve the suffering.